

CBEDS Data Entry Assistant Software

Software used to complete and submit CBEDS data collection forms

CBEDS DEA Software

The software is available on CD and includes two software applications - one software application for completing the SIF/CDIF and one software application for completing the PAIF.

Benefits

Using the CBEDS DEA software provides a number of advantages to both school districts and the California Department of Education:

- Reduce errors created when completing forms
- Reduce district & CDE follow-up
- Data can be quickly submitted over the Internet
- Preview reports that will be available on CDE Internet
- Use reports to verify data
- Reports can meet local needs during year (School Board presentations, media questions, preparation of grants, etc.)
- Make certified data available quickly

Where to get HELP!

Questions about distribution, collection, packaging of materials, missing supplies and general inquiries – call GENESIS DATA at (510) 352-4607
Questions related to the use of CBEDS software - call GENESIS DATA
CBEDS Help Desk at (877) 613-3282.

Additional materials - contact the County CBEDS Coordinator in your county superintendent of schools office.
Questions about the content of CBEDS - call the California Department of Education, Educational Demographics Office, (916) 327-0219.

CDS (county-district-school) code for a new school - call the CDS administrator at (916) 327-4014.

CBEDS data and information for CBEDS coordinators, including software updates are available on the Educational Demographics Office website at:

www.cde.ca.gov/demographics/

Software Requirements

The SIF/CDIF and PAIF software will only work on a personal computer running the Windows95/98/2000 or Windows NT or XP operating system.

The software is always installed onto a hard disk. The software can also be installed on a network or at individual schools. For instructions go to the website above and click on 'CBEDS instructional materials'.

The **minimum** PC required configuration is:

- IBM or compatible PC
- 80486 processor or higher
- Mouse
- CD-ROM Drive
- One diskette drive (3.5 inch high density)
- Windows 95/98, Windows NT, Windows 2000 or Windows XP
- 8MB RAM (16 MB recommended)
- Monitor with VGA or higher resolution
- Minimum 10 megabytes disk space

A printer is optional but will provide significant benefit in checking data.

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The CBEDS Data Entry Assistant software was developed to assist school district personnel in completing the forms used to submit data for the annual CBEDS data collection.
